# SENATE JOURNAL 57<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

Helena, Montana Senate Chambers February 1, 2001 State Capitol

Senate convened at 1:00 p.m. President Pro Tempore McNutt presiding. Invocation by Reverend Keith Johnson. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call. All members present, except Senators Beck, Doherty, Johnson, McCarthy, Stonington, and Tash excused. Quorum present.

Mr. President Pro Tempore: We, your committee on Bills and Journal, having examined the daily journal for the twentieth legislative day, find the same to be correct.

Miller, Chairman

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

#### **BILLS AND JOURNAL** (Miller, Chairman):

2/1/2001

Correctly printed: SB 77, SB 82, SB 237, SB 256, SB 275, SB 357, SB 358, SB 359, SB 360, SB 361, SB 362, SB 363, SB 364, SB 365, SB 366, SB 367, SB 368, SB 369, HB 117.

Correctly engrossed: SB 179, SB 191, SB 283, HB 29, HB 34, HB 36, HB 56, HB 104.

## **BUSINESS AND LABOR** (Taylor, Chairman):

1/31/2001

SB 78, do pass. Report adopted.

SB 219, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

2/1/2001

1. Page 1, line 13.

Following: "accountants"

**Insert:** "that is or plans to become engaged in the practice of public accounting"

2. Page 3, line 12.

Following: "received"

**Insert:** ", and a person who is licensed as an enrolled agent by the internal revenue service may use the title "enrolled agent" or the abbreviation "EA""

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

SB 253, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

2/1/2001

1. Title, line 10.

Following: "AGREEMENT;"

Insert: "PROVIDING ENFORCEMENT PROVISIONS;"

2. Page 1, lines 15.

Strike: "11" Insert: "12"

3. Page 1, line 22.

Strike: "11"

**Insert:** "12"

4. Page 1, line 26. **Strike:** "11"

**Insert:** "12"

5. Page 2, lines 20.

Strike: "11" Insert: "12"

6. Page 2, line 26. **Strike:** "11"

Insert: "12"

7. Page 3, line 12.

Strike: "11" Insert: "12"

8. Page 3, line 25.

Strike: "new"
Insert: "used"
Strike: "used"
Insert: "new"

9. Page 6, line 22. **Strike:** "the property" **Insert:** "any specific item"

10. Page 6, following line 26.

**Insert:** "NEW SECTION. Section 12. Enforcement -- bona fide errors. (1) Except when inconsistent with the provisions of [sections 1 through 12], a violation of [sections 1 through 12] is a violation of Title 30, chapter 14, part 1.

- (2) (a) A lessor may not be held liable for a violation of the provisions of [sections 1 through 12] if the lessor proves by a preponderance of evidence that the violation was not intentional and resulted from bona fide error despite the lessor's maintenance of procedures reasonably intended to avoid the error.
- (b) (i) For the purposes of this section, a bona fide error includes but is not limited to clerical, calculation, computer malfunction, programming, and printing error.
- (ii) An error of legal judgment with respect to a person's obligations under [sections 1 through 12] is not a bona fide error."

**Renumber:** subsequent sections

11. Page 6, lines 28.

Strike: "11" Insert: "12"

12. Page 6, line 29.

Strike: "11" Insert: "12"

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

**HB 19**, be amended as follows:

2/1/2001

1. Title, line 6.

Following: "AN"

**Insert:** "IMMEDIATE"

2. Page 5, line 19.

Strike: "July 1, 2001"

**Insert:** "on passage and approval"

And, as amended, be concurred in. Report adopted.

HB 51, be concurred in. Report adopted.

2/1/2001

2/1/2001

JUDICIARY (Grosfield, Chairman):

SB 328, do pass. Report adopted.

HB 115, be concurred in. Report adopted.

PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND SAFETY (Bishop, Chairman):

2/1/2001

**SB 107**, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Page 1, line 19. **Following:** "patient"

Insert: ", and the respondent's or patient's counsel,"

2. Page 1, line 21. **Strike:** "physically"

3. Page 1, line 23.

Following: "present"

Insert: ", for consulting purposes only,"

4. Page 2, line 11 through line 12.

Following: "court" on line 11

**Strike:** remainder of line 11 through line 12

Insert: "may not allow a two-way electronic audio-video communication."

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

**SB 169**, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Page 2, line 2 through line 3.

Strike: "a nurse" on line 2 through "practitioner," on line 3

Following: "practice registered nurse,"

Strike: "or"

**Following:** "physician" on line 3 **Insert:** ", or a direct-entry midwife"

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

**SB 171**, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Title, line 6 through line 7. **Following:** "PROGRAM;"

Strike: remainder of line 6 through "LIEN;" on line 7

2. Title, line 9.

Following: "ACT;"

**Insert:** "ALLOWING WARRANTS FOR DISTRAINT TO BE SERVED BY ACKNOWLEDGMENT WHEN THE ENTITY SERVED ENTERS INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT;"

3. Title, line 19.

Strike: "19-2-909, 19-20-306,"

4. Title, line 20.

**Following:** "40-5-173," **Insert:** "40-5-247,"

5. Page 1, line 26 through page 4, line 3.

Strike: section 1 and section 2 in their entirety

**Renumber:** subsequent sections

6. Page 14, line 1.

**Insert: "Section 10.** Section 40-5-247, MCA, is amended to read:

- "40-5-247. Warrant for distraint -- effect -- satisfaction of support lien -- redemption. (1) (a) The department may issue a warrant for distraint to execute support liens established by 40-5-248 or to enforce and collect any money obligation authorized under this chapter.
- (b) The warrant must be an order, under official seal of the department, directed to a sheriff of any county of the state or to any levying officer authorized by law to enforce a district court judgment. The order must command the recipient to levy upon and sell nonexempt real and personal property to satisfy the support lien upon which the warrant is based. The warrant must include notice of:
  - (i) the existence of exemptions from execution;
  - (ii) the procedure by which an exemption may be claimed; and
  - (iii) the right to request a hearing to determine an exemption claim.
  - (c) A warrant must be signed by the director of the department or the director's designee.
- (d) The warrant must be for the amount of the support lien or the amount of any other money obligation determined under this chapter, including interest and fees, if any.
- (e) A warrant for distraint has the same effect as a writ of execution issued by a district court to enforce money judgments.
- (2) (a) A warrant for distraint may be sent by the department to the sheriff or levying officer. Upon receipt of the warrant, the sheriff or levying officer shall proceed to execute upon the warrant in the same manner as prescribed for execution upon a judgment.

- (b) A warrant for distraint may also be served by acknowledgment of service upon an entity that has entered into an agreement with the department to accept service of a warrant for distraint. Upon receipt of the warrant, the served entity shall proceed to execute upon the warrant in the same manner as prescribed for execution upon a judgment and shall return the warrant, along with any funds collected, within 90 days of receipt of the warrant.
- $\frac{\text{(b)}(c)}{\text{(c)}}$  A copy of the warrant must be mailed to the obligor at the obligor's last-known address at or promptly after the time of seizure.
- (e)(d) Within 10 days after the date of the mailing of the warrant to the obligor, an obligor claiming an exemption may request a hearing to determine the existence of the exemption. The department shall convene a contested case hearing to determine the claimed exemption. An order entered under this section is a final agency order, subject to judicial review under Title 2, chapter 4, part 7.
- (d)(e) A sheriff or levying officer shall return a warrant, along with any funds collected, within 90 days of the receipt of the warrant.
- (e)(f) Funds resulting from execution upon the warrant must first be applied to the sheriff's or levying officer's costs, any superior liens, the support lien, or other money obligation and to any inferior liens. Any amounts in excess of this distribution must be paid to the obligor.
- (f)(g) If the warrant is returned not fully satisfied, the department has the same remedies to collect the deficiency as are available for any civil judgment.
- (3) A sheriff's or levying officer's levy against real and personal property of the obligor is not limited to property in possession of persons or other entities given notice of a support lien under 40-5-242.
- (4) (a) Upon receiving payment in full of the unpaid warrant amount plus penalty and fees, if any, and accumulated interest, the department shall release the warrant.
- (b) Upon receiving partial payment of the unpaid warrant amount or if the department determines that a release or partial release of the warrant will facilitate the collection of the unpaid amount, penalty, and interest, the department may release or may partially release the warrant for distraint. The department may release the warrant if it determines that the warrant is unenforceable.
- (5) An obligor or other person or entity having an interest in real or personal property levied upon by a warrant for distraint at any time prior to sale of the property may pay the amount of the support lien or other money obligation and any costs incurred by the sheriff or levying officer serving the warrant. Upon payment in full, the property must be restored to the obligor or other person and all proceedings on the warrant must cease.
- (6) An obligor or other person or entity having an interest in real property levied upon and sold by a sheriff or levying officer pursuant to a warrant for distraint may, within 240 days after sale of the property, redeem the property by making payment to the purchaser in the amount paid by the purchaser plus interest at the statutory interest rate payable on judgments recovered in the district court.
- (7) At any time after distraint of property under a warrant for distraint, the department may release all or part of the seized property without liability if payment of the support lien or other money obligation is assured or if the action will facilitate collection of the support lien or other money obligation. The release or return does not operate to prevent future action to collect the warrant amount from the same or other property.
- (8) The department may issue a warrant for distraint to collect a support lien or other money obligation under this section at any time within the statutory limitation period for enforcing and collecting delinquent child support.
- (9) The use of the warrant for distraint is not exclusive, and the department may use any other remedy provided by law for the collection of child support amounts.""

7. Page 22, line 30.

**Following:** line 29

**Insert:** "(7) Income-withholding orders may be issued in this state pursuant only to 40-5-308 through 40-5-315 and 40-5-401 through 40-5-432."

**Renumber:** subsequent subsections

8. Page 23, line 7. **Strike:** "(8)(a)" **Insert:** "(9)(a)"

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

SB 248, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Page 1, line 24. **Following:** line 23

**Insert:** "(3) "Incident reports" or "occurrence reports" means a written business record of a health care facility, created in response to an untoward event, such as a patient injury, adverse outcome, or interventional error, in order to ensure a prompt evaluation of the event. The terms do not include any subsequent evaluation of the event in response to an incident report or occurrence report by a utilization review, peer review, medical ethics review, quality assurance, or quality improvement committee."

Renumber: subsequent subsection

2. Page 3, lines 3 and 4.

Strike: "records" on line 3 through "treatment" on line 4

**Insert:** "health care information that is not data as defined in 50-16-201"

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

## **STATE ADMINISTRATION** (Hargrove, Chairman):

2/1/2001

SB 296, do pass. Report adopted.

SR 6, be adopted. Report adopted.

SR 8, be adopted. Report adopted.

SR 10, be adopted. Report adopted.

HB 91, be concurred in. Report adopted.

## **TAXATION** (DePratu, Chairman):

2/1/2001

SB 129, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Page 2, line 6 through line 7.

**Strike:** "limiting" on line 6 through "byproducts," on line 7

2. Page 2, line 8 through line 9. **Strike:** subsection (4) in its entirety **Renumber:** subsequent subsections

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

HB 24, be concurred in. Report adopted.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE OTHER HOUSE

House bills passed and transmitted to the Senate for concurrence:

1/31/2001

HB 215, introduced by Shockley

HB 263, introduced by Jent

HB 268, introduced by Ripley

HB 308, introduced by C. Younkin

HB 317, introduced by K. Peterson

HB 342, introduced by Clancy

HB 354, introduced by Lawson

#### **MOTIONS**

**SB** 57 - Senator Holden moved that he be allowed to change his vote on **SB** 57 on third reading the twenty-fourth legislative day, from yea to nay. Motion carried with Senator Cocchiarella voting nay.

**SB 140** - Senator Wells moved that the Senate reconsider its action on second reading the previous legislative day in adopting Senator Halligan's motion to indefinitely postpone **SB 140**. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Cobb, Cole, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellis, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Hargrove, Holden, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Miller, Mohl, O'Neil, Sprague, Stapleton, Tash, Taylor, Thomas, Wells, Zook, Mr. President.

Total 29

Nays: Christiaens, Cocchiarella, Crismore, Doherty, Ellingson, Elliott, Franklin, Halligan, Harrington, Jergeson, McCarthy, Nelson, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Stonington, Tester, Toole, Waterman.

Total 20

Paired: Cole, Keenan, Tash, Thomas, Mr. President, Ayes; Doherty, Jergeson, McCarthy, Roush, Stonington, Noes.

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Johnson.

Total 1

## FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS

The following Senate bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

**SB 370**, introduced by Halligan, Beck, Berry, Cocchiarella, Doherty, McCarthy, McNutt, Newman, Shea, Shockley, Sliter, F. Thomas, C. Younkin, referred to Judiciary.

SB 371, introduced by Toole, referred to Energy and Telecommunications.

SB 372, introduced by Bohlinger, referred to Legislative Administration.

SB 373, introduced by Halligan (by request of the State Auditor), referred to Business and Labor.

SB 374, introduced by Taylor, referred to Taxation.

SB 375, introduced by Grimes, referred to Natural Resources.

**SB** 376, introduced by DePratu, Sliter, Beck, Bitney, Crismore, Dale, Ellis, Grimes, Grosfield, Haines, R. Holden, Laible, McNutt, Mohl, D. Mood, Somerville, Sprague, Tash, F. Thomas, referred to Natural Resources.

**SB 377**, introduced by Grimes, Bales, Beck, Berry, Bitney, Dee Brown, Cole, Crismore, Curtiss, Dale, Ellis, Grosfield, Haines, Hargrove, R. Holden, Kasten, Laible, Matthews, McGee, McNutt, D. Mood, Sliter, Tash, F. Thomas, C. Younkin, referred to Natural Resources.

- SB 378, introduced by Tash, referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 379, introduced by Tash, referred to Natural Resources.
- **SB 380**, introduced by McNutt, Cole, Doherty, G. Forrester, Halligan, Lindeen, Shea, Tester, F. Thomas, Wanzenried, Witt, referred to Highways and Transportation.
- SB 381, introduced by Cobb, referred to Finance.
- SB 382, introduced by Grosfield, Esp, referred to Judiciary.
- **SB** 383, introduced by Glaser, P. Clark, Cocchiarella, Cyr, G. Forrester, Gallus, Golie, Halligan, Harrington, Keane, Lindeen, Matthews, McCarthy, Newman, Shea, referred to Business and Labor.
- SB 384, introduced by Ryan, referred to Judiciary.
- SB 385, introduced by Grosfield, referred to State Administration.

The following Senate joint resolution was introduced, read first time, and referred to committee:

**SJR 11**, introduced by Tester, Cole, Doherty, Facey, G. Forrester, Lindeen, Shea, Taylor, F. Thomas, Wanzenried, Witt, referred to Highways and Transportation.

The following House bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

- **HB 215**, introduced by Shockley, referred to Fish and Game.
- HB 263, introduced by Jent, referred to Judiciary.
- **HB 268**, introduced by Ripley, Christiaens, Jacobson, Kitzenberg, Lehman, Lenhart, McNutt, Newman, Olson, B. Thomas, J. Tropila, J. Whitaker, Wolery, referred to Education and Cultural Resources.
- HB 308, introduced by C. Younkin, referred to Business and Labor.
- HB 317, introduced by K. Peterson (by request of the Attorney General), referred to Judiciary.
- HB 342, introduced by Clancy, referred to State Administration.
- HB 354, introduced by Lawson, referred to Public Health, Welfare and Safety.

# SECOND READING OF BILLS (COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE)

Senator Thomas moved the Senate resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for consideration of business on second reading. Motion carried. Senator Zook in the chair.

Mr. President Pro Tempore: We, your Committee of the Whole, having had under consideration business on second reading, recommend as follows:

- **HB 26** Senator Mahlum moved HB 26 be concurred in. Motion carried unanimously.
- SB 128 Senator Grosfield moved SB 128, second reading copy, be amended as follows:
- 1. Page 11, line 15.

**Strike:** subsection (d) in its entirety

**Insert:** "(d) solicits clients for another person who is a prostitute;"

Amendment adopted unanimously.

SB 128 - Senator Bohlinger moved SB 128, as amended, do pass. Motion carried unanimously.

- SB 191 Senator DePratu moved SB 191 do pass. Motion carried with Senators Christiaens and Toole voting nay.
- SB 237 Senator Cole moved SB 237 do pass. Motion carried unanimously.
- SB 283 Senator Waterman moved SB 283 do pass. Motion carried with Senator Holden voting nay

**HB 104** - Senator Halligan moved HB 104 be concurred in. After discussion, Senator Halligan made a **substitute motion** that **HB 104** be passed for the day. Motion carried unanimously.

Senator Thomas moved the committee rise and report. Motion carried. Committee arose. Senate resumed. President Pro Tempore McNutt in the chair. Chairman Zook moved the Committee of the Whole report be adopted. Report adopted unanimously.

#### THIRD READING OF BILLS

The following bills having been read three several times, title and history agreed to, were disposed of in the following manner:

## **SB 77** passed as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Christiaens, Cobb, Cocchiarella, Cole, Crismore, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellingson, Elliott, Ellis, Franklin, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Halligan, Hargrove, Harrington, Holden, Jergeson, Johnson, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Miller, Mohl, Nelson, O'Neil, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Sprague, Stapleton, Taylor, Tester, Thomas, Toole, Waterman, Wells, Zook.

Total 45

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Doherty, McCarthy, Stonington, Tash, Mr. President.

Total 5

#### SB 82 passed as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Christiaens, Cobb, Cocchiarella, Cole, Crismore, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellingson, Elliott, Ellis, Franklin, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Halligan, Hargrove, Harrington, Holden, Jergeson, Johnson, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Miller, Mohl, Nelson, O'Neil, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Sprague, Stapleton, Taylor, Tester, Thomas, Toole, Waterman, Wells, Zook.

Total 45

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Doherty, McCarthy, Stonington, Tash, Mr. President. Total 5

#### **SB 179** passed as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Christiaens, Cobb, Cocchiarella, Cole, Crismore, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellingson, Elliott, Ellis, Franklin, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Halligan, Hargrove, Harrington, Holden, Jergeson, Johnson, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Mohl, Nelson, O'Neil, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Sprague, Stapleton, Taylor, Tester, Thomas, Toole, Waterman, Wells, Zook.

Total 44

Nays: Miller. Total 1

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Doherty, McCarthy, Stonington, Tash, Mr. President.

Total 5

## SB 256 passed as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Christiaens, Cocchiarella, Cole, Crismore, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellingson, Elliott, Ellis, Franklin, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Halligan, Hargrove, Harrington, Holden, Jergeson, Johnson, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Mohl, Nelson, O'Neil, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Sprague, Stapleton, Taylor, Tester, Thomas, Toole, Waterman, Zook.

Total 42

Nays: Cobb, Miller, Wells.

Total 3

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Doherty, McCarthy, Stonington, Tash, Mr. President.

Total 5

## SB 275 passed as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Cole, Crismore, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellingson, Elliott, Ellis, Franklin, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Halligan, Hargrove, Harrington, Holden, Jergeson, Johnson, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Mohl, Nelson, O'Neil, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Sprague, Stapleton, Taylor, Tester, Thomas, Toole, Waterman, Zook. Total 40

Nays: Christiaens, Cobb, Cocchiarella, Miller, Wells.

Total 5

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Doherty, McCarthy, Stonington, Tash, Mr. President.

Total 5

### HB 29, as amended by the Senate, concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Christiaens, Cobb, Cocchiarella, Cole, Crismore, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellingson, Elliott, Ellis, Franklin, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Halligan, Hargrove, Harrington, Holden, Jergeson, Johnson, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Miller, Mohl, Nelson, O'Neil, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Sprague, Stapleton, Taylor, Tester, Thomas, Toole, Waterman, Wells, Zook.

Total 45

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Doherty, McCarthy, Stonington, Tash, Mr. President.

Total 5

## HB 34 concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Christiaens, Cobb, Cocchiarella, Cole, Crismore, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellingson, Elliott, Ellis, Franklin, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Halligan, Hargrove, Harrington, Holden, Jergeson, Johnson, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Miller, Mohl, Nelson, O'Neil, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Sprague, Stapleton, Taylor, Tester, Thomas, Toole, Waterman, Wells, Zook.

Total 45

Navs: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Doherty, McCarthy, Stonington, Tash, Mr. President.

Total 5

## HB 36 concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Christiaens, Cobb, Cocchiarella, Cole, Crismore, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellingson, Elliott, Ellis, Franklin, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Halligan, Hargrove, Harrington, Holden, Jergeson, Johnson, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Miller, Mohl, Nelson, O'Neil, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Sprague, Stapleton, Taylor, Tester, Thomas, Toole, Waterman, Wells, Zook.

Total 45

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Doherty, McCarthy, Stonington, Tash, Mr. President.

Total 5

## HB 56 concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Berry, Bishop, Bohlinger, Butcher, Christiaens, Cobb, Cocchiarella, Cole, Crismore, DePratu, Ekegren, Ellingson, Elliott, Ellis, Franklin, Glaser, Grimes, Grosfield, Halligan, Hargrove, Harrington, Holden, Jergeson, Johnson, Keenan, Kitzenberg, Mahlum, McNutt, Miller, Mohl, Nelson, O'Neil, Pease, Roush, Ryan, Shea, Sprague, Stapleton, Taylor, Tester, Thomas, Toole, Waterman, Wells, Zook.

Total 45

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Doherty, McCarthy, Stonington, Tash, Mr. President.

Total 5

## **MOTIONS**

**SB** 313 - Senator Cole moved that **SB** 313 be taken from the committee on Energy and Telecommunications and rereferred to the committee on Education and Cultural Resources. Motion carried.

**SB 191** - Senator Keenan moved that **SB 191** be taken from third reading and rereferred to the committee on Finance. Motion carried.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Committee meetings were announced by committee chairmen.

Majority Leader Thomas moved that the Senate adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Friday, February 2, 2001. Motion carried.

Senate adjourned at 2:25 p.m.

ROSANA SKELTON Secretary of Senate WALT MCNUTT President Pro Tempore of the Senate